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Oshkosh, Wis., Oct 22 1877

Dr. Engelmann.

Dear Sir.

I send today a
package of flowers, nearly all identified, & the
descriptions of some of them in some of
the details are incorrect or I am making
the wrong descriptions "describe" them! If not encroach-
ing too much on your time please tell me if I am right.
My own opinions in several cases conflict with
those of others who have given considerable atten-
tion to Botany. The *Dromodium* which I sent
you from must be *D. canadense* I think, yet
if so, Gray's Botany does not describe it exactly.
In case of a doubt the characters of the
fruit make it one species (*S. asper*), but the
petiole, another (*S. oliveri*). In such case
I decided it should be *S. asper*.

Thanking you for identification of what
I sent you from, & remain.

Yours
W. A. Ellerman



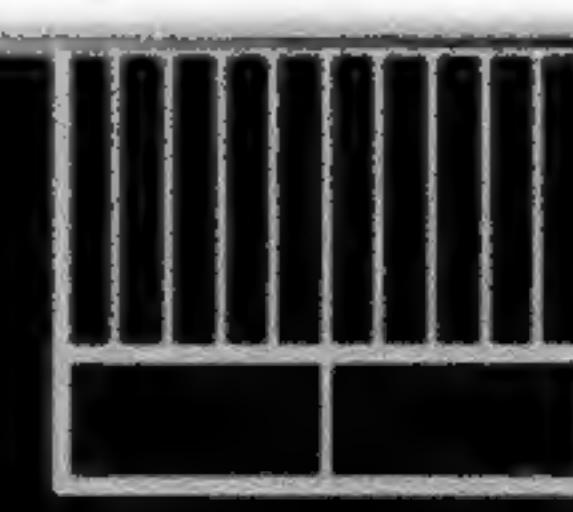
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OFFICE OF
STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Oshkosh, Wis., Nov 26 1878

Dr. Engelmann.

Dear Sir:

I send today to your address a package of fls. which I hope you will have time to look over. The oak I can not satisfactorily determine - nor the others. Nos. 9-15 were collected in Placer Co Cal. Nos 16-31 were collected in Wash. Ter. (Fort Ord & Steele) - I have not the literature for identifying the western plants. I number each spec. & hope it will not be inconvenient to you to give me a list of the names.

Respectfully

W A Kellermann



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fort. Fred Steele, Washgt Terr

- 1 *Gaura*
- 2 *Lisynobium*
- 3 *Nasturtium*
- 4 *Nasturtium*
- 5 *Amaranth*
- 6 *Simpsons*
- 7 *Amaranth*
- 8 *Euphorbia*
- 9 *Pentstern*
- 10 *Phorilla*
- 11 *Subula*
- 12 *Ostrocarpus*
- 13 *Lepidium*
- 14 *Gilia tricolor*
- 15 *Coumara*
- 16 *Saxifrage*
- 17 *Pentstern*
- 18 *Abelmoschus*
- 19 *Mallow*
- 20 *Metastoma*
- 21
- 22 *Castilleja*

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